<u>AMENDMENT B</u> (37 C.F.R. 1.111)

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1 and 5 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.121.

The claims are attached herein on separate sheets.

AMENDMENT TO CLAIMS [Deleted material is struck-through and added material is underlined]

- 1. (Currently Amended) A Cu-Sn-O alloy plating having an oxygen content of 0.3 to 50 at% in the plating, wherein said plating is applied to a substrate material selected from a group consisting of metal materials, ceramic materials, plastic materials, or ceramic or plastic materials on which a metal plating has been applied in advance.
- 2. (Original) The Cu-Sn-O alloy plating as claimed in claim 1, wherein the oxygen content is 0.5 to 47 at%.
- 3. (Original) The Cu-Sn-O alloy plating as claimed in claim 1, wherein the oxygen content is 1.5 to 50 at% and the plating has blackish appearance.
- 4. (Previously Presented) The Cu-Sn-O alloy plating as claimed in claim 1, wherein a copper content is 20 to 80 at%, and a tin content is 10 to 70 at% in the plating.
- 5. (Currently Amended) An ornamental article having Cu-Sn-O alloy plating having an oxygen content of 0.3 to 50 at% in the plating, wherein said plating is applied to said ornamental article and said ornamental article is made from material selected from a group consisting of metal materials, ceramic materials, plastic materials, or ceramic or plastic materials on which a metal plating has been applied in advance.
- 6. (Original) The ornamental article as claimed in claim 5, wherein the article is a snap button.
- 7. (Previously Presented) The Cu-Sn-O alloy plating as claimed in claim 2, wherein a copper content is 20 to 80 at%, and a tin content is 10 to 70 at% in the plating.
- 8. (Previously Presented) The Cu-Sn-O alloy plating as claimed in claim 3, wherein a copper content is 20 to 80 at%, and a tin content is 10 to 70 at% in the plating.
- 9. (Previously Presented) The ornamental article as claimed in claim 5, wherein the oxygen content is 0.5 to 47 at%.
- 10. (Previously Presented) The ornamental article as claimed in claim 5, wherein the oxygen content is 1.5 to 50 at% and the plating has blackish appearance.
- 11. (Previously Presented) The ornamental article as claimed in claim 5, wherein a copper content is 20 to 80 at%, and a tin content is 10 to 70 at% in the plating.
- 12. (Previously Presented) The ornamental article as claimed in claim 9, wherein a copper content is 20 to 80 at%, and a tin content is 10 to 70 at% in the plating.

13.	(Previously Presented)	The ornamental article as claimed in claim 10, wherein a		
copper content is 20 to 80 at%, and a tin content is 10 to 70 at% in the plating.				
14.	(Previously Presented)	The ornamental article as claimed in claim 9, wherein the		

15.	(Previously Presented)	The ornamental article as claimed in claim 10, wherein the
article is a snap button.		

article is a snap button.

- 16. (Previously Presented) The ornamental article as claimed in claim 11, wherein the article is a snap button.
- 17. (Previously Presented) The ornamental article as claimed in claim 12, wherein the article is a snap button.